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Report Highlights:

Export refunds were set for the third period of the GATT year. Commission Regulation 1961/2001 details new rules for fixing export refunds for fruit and vegetables by way of a tender system.

Includes PSD changes: No
Includes Trade Matrix: No
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Export Refunds on Fruit and vegetables

Export refund rates remained unchanged for the third period of the seventh GATT year. Commission Regulation 1961/2001 of October 8, 2001, details new rules for fixing export refunds for fruit and vegetables by way of a tender system (system A3) in addition to the current systems (A1, A2 and B systems). Refund rates have been set under the new A3 system for lemons and apples.

Fresh Fruit and Vegetables

Product	Destination	System - Application periods							
		A1 11/9/2001 to 1/7/2002		A2 11/9 to 11/12/2001		A3 11/9 to 11/12/2001		B 9/17 to 11/15/2001	
		Refund rate (EUR/MT net weight)	Scheduled quantity (MT)	Indicative refund rate (EUR/MT net weight)	Scheduled quantity (MT)	Indicative refund rate (EUR/MT net weight)	Scheduled quantity (MT)	Indicative refund rate (EUR/MT net weight)	Scheduled quantity (MT)
Tomatoes	F08	20		20	1,711			20	3,423
Oranges	A00	45		45	50,222			45	100,233
Lemons	A00	35				35	9,988	35	19,808
Table grapes	A00	23		23	3,591			23	5,527
Apples	F04, F09	20				20	7,640	20	13,909
Destination codes: A00: all destinations F04: Sri Lanka, Hong Kong SAR, Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, Taiwan, Papua New Guinea, Laos, Cambodia, Vietnam, Uruguay, Paraguay, Argentina, Mexico, Costa Rica and Japan F08: all destinations except Slovakia, Latvia, Lithuania and Bulgaria F09: Norway, Iceland, Greenland, Faeroes, Poland, Hungary, Romania, Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Croatia, Slovenia, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia & Montenegro), Malta, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Ukraine, destinations referred to in art. 36 of Commission Regulation 800/1999, African countries and territories except South Africa, countries of the Arabian Peninsula (Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman, United Arab Emirates (Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Ajman, Umm al Qalwain, Ras al Khaimah, Fujairah), Kuwait, Yemen), Syria, Iran, Jordan, Bolivia, Brazil, Venezuela, Peru, Panama, Ecuador and Colombia.									
system A1: standard system with advance fixing of the refund system A2: special system with advance fixing of the refund system A3: invitation to tender with advanced fixing of the refund system B: system without advance fixing of the refund									

Export Refunds on Products Processed from Fruit and Vegetables

Export refund rates and quantities for products processed from fruit and vegetables remained unchanged (ref. GAIN report E21035).

Product	Destination	License issuing period: November 2001 to February 2002	
		Refund rate (EUR/MT net)	Quantities provided (in MT)
Provisionally preserved cherries	F06	50	2,853
Peeled tomatoes	F10	45	42,477
Cherries & mixtures of fruit preserved by sugar	F06	153	293
Mixtures of nuts (prepared)	A00	59	344
Orange juice, frozen	A00	5	300
Orange juice, not frozen	A00	29	301
A00: all destinations			
F06: all destinations except the countries of North America			
F10: all other destinations except the U.S., Slovakia, Latvia and Bulgaria			